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Dr. Peter T. Dalleo  
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844 King Street  
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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Re: *Cordis Corp. v. Medtronic AVE, Inc., et al.*, C.A. No. 97-550-SLR

*Medtronic Ave., Inc. v. Cordis Corporation, et al.*, C.A. No. 97-700-SLR

*Boston Scientific Corporation v. Ethicon, Inc., et al.*, C.A. No. 98-19-SLR

Dear Dr. Dalleo:

I represent Cordis Corporation in the above cases, which will be in trial before Chief Judge Robinson from March 4-11 and 17-24, 2005. I have reserved Attorney Conference Room #4204 from noon until 2:00 p.m. on each of those dates.

Parcels will be bringing in lunches for us on each of those dates, and will be coming back again to clean up the room afterward. I would appreciate your giving them the key and allowing them access to the room as needed.

Thank you very much for your assistance.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Steven J. Balick

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